Reply of Government.—Revision Survey should be awaited. The matter may be represented to Deputy Commissioners.

SUBJECT No. 78.

Remissions of assessment on lands under breached tanks.

Messrs. Chikkaramanna and Suryanaranappa, Kolar Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Request that the Jamabandi Officers may be empowered to grant half remissions on lands under breached tanks, which have been classed as "garden" during the Survey Settlement, even though mere vegetables are grown thereon without raising any "Dhruva Pairu."

Reply of Government.—Individual cases may be represented to Deputy Commissioners and Revenue Commissioner.

SUBJECT No. 79.

Remission of wet assessment on lands below tanks or channels not supplied with water.

Messrs. Lakshminaranappa of Heggaddevankote Taluk; and Srinivasa Rao of T.-Narsipur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Wet assessment is fixed upon lands under channels and tanks. Owing to the inadequate supply of water and failure of monsoons, wet crops fail. In such cases remission of wet assessment is prayed for. The Jamabandi Officers may be empowered to pass orders regarding such remissions. Otherwise people will be put to much loss.

Reply of Government.—*Vide* Subject No. 75.

SUBJECT No. 80.

Remission of kandayam during scarcity of rainfall.

Messrs. D. Naranappa, Sidlaghatta Taluk; Suryanaranappa, Giddegowda and Byregowda of the Kolar Taluk; Chinnappa and Venkataswami Reddi of the Srinivaspur Taluk; C. B. Gopala Rao, M. S. Ramachar and Mudrachappa, Kolar Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—(1) In the year Sobhakritu several tanks did not receive proper supply of water. Vaisakhi and Kartika crops could not be raised on several wet lands. Raiyats were put to great difficulty for paying kandayam to Government. In the year Krodhi, it was too late to sow the Kartika crop. Tanks have received no water as yet. Dry lands have not been sown. No wet crop was raised last year. This year it is too late for cultivation. There is no hope of raising Vaisakhi crop under small tanks. Remission of assessment on wet lands for the last year and also for the present year may be granted. Rajinamas for wet lands retained in khate on the expectation of the tanks receiving adequate supply of water, may be ordered to be accepted, although the time for the presentation of rajinamas has elapsed.

(2) The Deputy Commissioners may be given ample discretion to grant remission of kandayam in the years of drought.

Reply of Government.—*Vide* Subject No. 75.

SUBJECT No. 81.

Recovery of kandayam in six khists and the khists to commence from February.

(*a*) Mr. Lakshminarasimhachar of Chamrajnagar Taluk.

(*b*) Mr. S. Subrayabhatta, Tirthahalli Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—(*a*) The collection of land revenue in four monthly instalments beginning from February is inconvenient to the raiyat, as during that period he has to plough the land and sow jolam, Bengal gram, castor seed, sugar-cane, etc. He will therefore be unable to find favorable market for his grains. In most instances he has to dispose of grains at low prices to brokers in order to pay the kandayam. Further, at that time of the year the